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1. Several reports mention that since 1 January 1954 the number of workers dismissed from the various enterprises and factories in the Sofia area amounted allegedly to about 7,000 people.
2. The Kliment Voroshilov Factory and Zavod #12 are reportedly at the head of the list with more than 1,000 employees dismissed from the former and 250-300 from the latter. The reason for these dismissals is allegedly the shortage of bakelite, tungsten, and tar. Next highest in the number of persons dismissed is reportedly the Gizlaved factory which manufactures rubber articles.
4. An office for reassigning these dismissed workers is allegedly located at No. 5 Serdika Street in Sofia.

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